

EXTRADITION: FREE CITY OF DANZIG

Exchange of notes at Washington August 22, 1935, embodying declaration by which Danzig became a contracting party to treaty of November 22, 1927

Entered into force September 6, 1935

*Obsolete*¹

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The Polish Chargé d'Affaires ad interim to the Secretary of State

[TRANSLATION]

EMBASSY OF POLAND

WASHINGTON, August 22, 1935

MR. SECRETARY OF STATE:

Under instructions from my Government, I have the honor to communicate to your Excellency the following:

The Polish Government, which is entrusted with the conduct of the foreign affairs of the Free City of Danzig under Article 104 of the Treaty of Peace, signed at Versailles, June 28, 1919,² and Articles 2 and 6 of the Convention between Poland and the Free City of Danzig, signed at Paris, November 9, 1920, declares, on behalf of the Free City of Danzig and in execution of Article 2 of the Protocol accompanying the Treaty of Extradition between Poland and the United States of America, signed at Warsaw, November 22, 1927,³ that the Free City of Danzig shall become a contracting party of the said Treaty of Extradition from the fifteenth day following the date of the receipt of this notification by the Government of the United States of America.

I have the honor to request your Excellency to acknowledge receipt of this note.

Accept, Mr. Secretary of State, the assurances of my highest consideration.

W. SOKOLOWSKI

His Excellency

Mr. CORDELL HULL

Secretary of State

No. 78-c/SZ-6

¹ See footnote 1, *ante*, p. 213.

² *Ante*, vol. 2, p. 100.

³ TS 789, *ante*, p. 206.

The Secretary of State to the Polish Chargé d'Affaires ad interim

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WASHINGTON, August 22, 1935

SIR:

The receipt is acknowledged, on behalf of the Government of the United States of America of your note of August 22, 1935, reading in translation as follows:

[For text of Polish note, see p. 267.]

The Government of the United States of America takes note of this declaration and will recognize the Free City of Danzig as a contracting party to the treaty of extradition between the United States of America and Poland signed at Warsaw, November 22, 1927, on and from September 6, 1935, the fifteenth day following the date on which the declaration hereby acknowledged was received by the Government of the United States of America.

Accept, Sir, the renewed assurances of my high consideration.

CORDELL HULL

MR. WLADYSLAW SOKOLOWSKI
Chargé d'Affaires ad interim of Poland